

Concerts in the Park

Summer 2006

Evelyn W. Preston Summer Concert Series

Legend: **(RS)**-Rain or Shine, **(RD)**-Rain Date, **(RL)**-Rain Location,
(HPL), Hartford Public Library, **(TBA)** To Be Announced

June

- June 1 The Mark Twain House Lawn, (THUR) 6:00pm **River City Slim & The Zydeco Hogs**
- June 1 Elizabeth Park Pond House, (THUR) 7:30pm **Claire Daly Quartet with David McBride**
- June 3 Mary Hooker School, 200 Sherbrook Ave., (FRI) 1:30pm **Fiesta Del Norte**
- June 3 Mary Hooker School, 200 Sherbrook Ave (SAT) 12:00pm- **Arnaldo & Friends** 1:00pm- **Atacama**
1:30pm- **Dave Mack Band** 2:30pm- **Rush Hour** 3:45pm- **Grupo Boriken** 4:30pm- **Caribbean Salsa**
(RD) June 10
- June 4 Trinity Episcopal Church, 120 Sigourney St. (SUN) 3:00pm **CT. Valley Chamber Orchestra**
- June 8 Riverfront Plaza, (THUR) 12:00pm **Dyn-O-Myte Disco Review**
- June 8 Shepard Park, 170 Sisson Ave. (THUR) 6:00pm **Fiesta Del Norte**
- June 9 Northend Senior Center, (FRI) 12:30pm **Jazz Alive Quartet**
- June 10 Elizabeth Park, (SAT) 2:00pm- **Tomoca Govan** 3:00pm- **Judah**
4:00pm-**Alvin Carter Project** 5:00pm **Full Circle** 5:20pm-**Voices** 5:45pm-**Kenny Hamber** **(RD) June**
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- June 10 Harriet Beecher Stowe House, (SAT) 4:00pm **Tierra Mestiza**
- June 10 Real Art Ways, (SAT) 7:30pm **Burnt Sugar**
- June 12 Central Baptist Church, 457 Main St. (WED) 12:00pm **Cantilena Trio** (Classical Music)
- June 14 Riverfront Recapture, (WED) 11:30am **Jazz Alive Quartet**
- June 14 St. Peters Church, (WED) 7:30pm **Karas String Quartet**
- June 15 **HPL**, (THUR) 1:00pm Main St Branch, **Jeff McQuillen**
2:30pm Mark Twain Branch, **Jeff McQuillen**
- June 15 The Wadsworth Atheneum, (THUR) 6:30pm **Bluegrass Union**

June 17	Hartford Food System, 75 Laurel St, (SAT) 11:30am Fiesta Del Norte
June 18	State Capital, (SUN) 12:30pm Vinyl Daze
June 20	HPL , (TUE) 10:30am Barbour Branch Jeff McQuillen 3:30pm Campfield Branch, Jeff McQuillen
June 21	Trinity College Chapel, (WED) 6:00pm, William Tortolano
June 21	Trinity College Main Quad, (WED) 7:00pm, Trinity College Guild of Carrilloneurs
June 22	Riverfront Plaza, (THUR) 12:00pm Glamour Girls
June 23	Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (FRI) 6:30pm The Hartt School of Music (RL-Pond House)
June 24	Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, (SAT) 6:00pm Jackson Southernairs 6:45pm The Kelly Singers 7:15pm Community Chair of Middletown 7:45pm Greatful Praise 8:30 pm Mama Grace Singers 9:00pm Mighty Sons of Glory
June 24	Real Art Ways, (SAT) 7:00pm Val Ramos Flamenco Ensemble
June 24	Grace Episcopal Church, (SAT) 7:30pm Musical Friends Classical
June 25	Elizabeth Park Pond House, (SUN) 1:30pm University of Hartford Students (Classical)
June 25	Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park, (SUN) 3:00pm Al Fenton Big Band (RL-Pond House)
June 26	HPL , (MON) 10:30am Ropkins Branch, Jeff McQuillen 1:30pm Blue Hills Branch, Jeff McQuillen 3:30pm Albany Ave. Branch, Jeff McQuillen
June 27	HPL , (TUE) 10:30am Dwight Branch, Jeff McQuillen 1:30pm Park Branch, Jeff McQuillen 3:30pm Goodwin Branch, Jeff McQuillen
June 27	Parkville Senior Center, (THUR) 6:00pm Rotchford Duo
June 27	Polish National Home, (TUE) 6:30pm Musical Cavaliers & Special Guest
June 28	Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm Eight To The Bar (RL-Pond House)
June 28	Trinity College Chapel, (WED) 6:00pm Novi Cantori
June 28	Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm Suzanne Magassy
June 28	St. Peters Church, (WED) 7:30pm Karas String Quartet

July

July 1	Charter Oak Landing (SAT) 4:00pm Dramatix
July 1	Charter Oak Landing, (SAT), 4:45 Guakibom Jazz , 5:15 Latin Heartbeat Orchestra , 6:00 Esteban Arrufat Quartet , 6:45 Ray Gonzalez , 7:30 Sabor A Timba , 8:15 Hermanos Moreno
July 1	Riverfront Recapture (SAT) 7:00pm Mikata Latin Jazz
July 1	Charter Oak Landing (SAT) 7:30pm Dyn-O-Myte Disco Review (RL-Pond House)
July 1	Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 8:00pm George Mathew Jr.
July 5	Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm The David G. Latin Band (RL-Pond House)
July 5	Trinity College Chapel (WED) 6:00pm Paul Bisaccia
July 5	Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm Kaniel Kehoe
July 6	The Mark Twain House Lawn (THUR) 6:00pm Hot Cat Jazz
July 8	Hartford Food System, 75 Laurel Street (SAT) 11:30am Drums Not Drugs
July 8	Laurel Corner Community Group, Laurel Street (NE Corner) (SAT) 12:00pm Ajali
July 8	Harriet Beecher Stowe House (SAT) 12:00pm Nzinga's Daughters 1:15pm Horizon Blue 2:30pm Julianne Sutton 3:45pm Gail Wade
July 8	Bushnell Park-(SAT) 1:00pm Hartford Steel 2:30pm Island Riddim 4:00pm Pantonic Steel 6:00pm Supertonies Band 8:00pm Explosion Band
July 10	Artisian's Space (MON) 10:00am Crooners Corner
July 10	Salvation Army (MON) 12:00pm Crooners Corner
July 10	South End Senior Center (MON) 2:00pm Crooners Corner
July 10	HPL , Park Branch (MON) 1:30pm Fiesta Del Norte
July 10	Monday Night Jazz-Bushnell Park, 6:30pm Chris Sands Trio -7:30pm Clark Terry (RL-Trinity College, Vernon Center)
July 11	Goodwin Park (TUE) 6:30pm Mary Swiatek & R.B.O. (RL- Polish National Home)
July 11	The Mark Twain House (TUE) 7:00pm The Sommers Family Band
July 12	Old State House (WED) 11:30am People of Goodwill

July 12 Goodwin Park (WED) 1:00pm **Jeff McQuillen**

July 12 Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm **Mass Conn Fusion (RL-Pond House)**

July 12 Trinity College Chapel (WED) 6:00pm **Brunilda Myftaraj & Eric Dahlin**

July 12 Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm **Peter Langberg**

July 13 Old State House (THUR) 12:00pm **The O'Henrys**

July 13 **HPL, Goodwin Branch (THUR) 1:30pm Fiesta Del Norte**

July 13 Parkville Senior Center (THUR) 6:00pm **Johnny Prytko**

July 13 Immanuel House, (THUR) 7:00pm **Alama Llanera**

July 14 Batterson Park (FRI) 11:00am **Jeff McQuillen**

July 14 Guakia (FRI) 5:00pm **Jeff McQuillen**

July 14 Greater Hartford Jazz Festival, Bushnell Park (FRI) 6:00pm Opening Ceremony, 6:15pm **Ray Vega**, 8:00pm **Bobby Matos**

July 15 Greater Hartford Jazz Festival, Bushnell Park (SAT) 12:00pm **TBA**, 1:00pm **TBA**, 2:00pm **TBA**, 3:00pm Christine Spero, 4:30pm Jamie Williams, 6:00pm Mike Phillips, 7:30pm Walter Beasley, 9:00pm Kim Waters, 10:30pm Soul Syndicate

July 16 Greater Hartford Festival of Jazz-Bushnell Park -(SUN) 12:00pm **TBA**, 1:00pm **TBA**, 3:00pm **Marvin Stamm**, 4:30pm **Barbara Morrison**, 6:00pm **Steve Davis**, 8:30pm **The Woody Herman Orchestra (Evelyn Preston Funded Concert) (RS)**

July 17 Elizabeth Park Pond House (MON) 11:30am **Jeff McQuillen**

July 17 **HPL, Mark Twain Branch (MON) 1:30pm Fiesta Del Norte**

July 17 Monday Night Jazz-Bushnell Park, 6:30pm **Fred Smith & C. Edwards Quartet**, 7:30pm **The Dave Fathead Newman & Curtis Fuller Quartet (RL-Trinity College, Vernon Center)**

July 18 Goodwin Park (TUE) 6:30pm **The John Jeski Band (RL- Polish National Home)**

July 19 Pope Park Center (WED) 10:00am **The Fun Farm (Childrens Music)**

July 19 Elizabeth Park Pond House (WED) 11:00am **Jeff McQuillen**
Kelvin D. Anderson Center (WED) 2:00pm **Jeff McQuillen**

July 19 Charter Oak Cultural Center (WED) 12:00pm **Fiesta Del Norte**

July 19 **HPL, 500 Main Street (WED) 1:00pm The Fun Farm - Childrens**

July 19 **HPL, Goodwin Branch (WED) 4:00pm Jazz Alive Quartet**

July 19 **Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm Black Moon Band (RL-Pond House)**

July 19 **Trinity College Chapel (WED) 6:00pm Ensemble Chanterelle**

July 19 **Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm Marcel Siebers**

July 19 **ST. Peter's Church (WED) 7:30pm Karas String Quartet**

July 20 **Elizabeth Park Pond House (THUR) 11:00am Jeff McQuillen**
Pope Park Recreation Center (THUR) 2:00pm Jeff McQuillen

July 20 **Old State House (THUR) 12:00pm Just Plain Folk Rock**

July 20 **Parkville Senior Center (THUR) 6:00pm Fiesta Latin Music**

July 21 **Wadsworth Atheneum (FRI) 6:30pm Jazz Alive Quartet**

July 22 **Bushnell Park, (SAT) 11:00am , 12:30pm Patrick Burke, 1:30pm Iba And Band, 2:30pm Jah And**
The Roots Band, 3:30pm Carolyn Adams, 4:30pm The Explosian Band, 5:30pm Rast Band, 6:30pm
Crucial Massive Band, 8:00pm Legend

July 22 **The Bushnell Autorino Great Hall, (SAT) 7:00pm Hartford & Plainville Choirs, 7:15pm Practing**
Umoja, 7:45pm Amizade, 8:15pm Donyne Cowan & Changes, 8:30pm Bob Snell 8:45pm Nzinga's
Daughters

July 24 **HPL, Central Branch, 500 Main Street (MON) 12:00pm Fiesta Del Norte, 2:00pm Dwight Branch,**
Fiesta Del Norte

July 24 **Monday Night Jazz-Bushnell Park, 6:30pm The Original Betty Carter Trio Reunion featuring Kitty**
Kathryn, 7:30pm Junior Mance Trio (RL-Trinity College, Vernon Center)

July 25 **Mark Twain House (TUE) 6:00pm Jazz Alive Quartet**

July 25 **Goodwin Park (TUE) 6:30pm Stan Scott Band (RL- Polish National Home)**

July 26 **HPL, Campfield Branch, (WED) 1:45pm Fiesta Del Norte**

July 26 **Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm Happenings 60'S Music (RL-Pond House)**

July 26 **Trinity College Chapel (WED) 6:00pm David Feltner & Rob E. Smith**

July 26 **Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm Hans Uwe Hielscher**

July 27 **Charter Oak Landing (THUR) 12:00pm Glamour Girls**

July 27 **Parkville Senior Center (THUR) 6:00pm Johnny Prytko**

- July 27 Charter Oak Cultural Center, (THUR) 7:00pm **Hartford Steel Symphony**
- July 29 Mark Twain House (SAT) 12:00pm **Stone Quarry Duo**, 1:15pm **Horizon Blue**, 2:30pm **Radigan**, 3:45pm **Robert Hazard Trio**
- July 30 Charter Oak Cultural Center (SUN) 5:00pm **Mikata Latin Jazz**
- July 31 Monday Night Jazz-Bushnell Park, 6:30pm **Robert Merriweather**, 7:30pm **Eddie Allen Afro Cuban Jazz** (RL-Trinity College, Vernon Center)

August

- Aug 2 Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm **The Neilds** (RL-Pond House)
- Aug 2 Trinity College Chapel (WED) 6:00pm **Francis Trio**
- Aug 2 Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm **Lee Leach**
- Aug 3 Parkville Senior Center, (THUR) 6:00pm **Johnny Prytko**
- Aug 3 The Mark Twain House Lawn, (THUR) 6:00pm **Royalty Steel Drum Band**
- Aug 3 The Village for Families, Wethersfield Ave. (THUR) 6:30pm **Travadores Mariachi Band**
- Aug 5 Hartford Food System, 75 Laurel Street, (SAT) 11:30am **Esteban Arrufat Trio**
- Aug 5 Laurel Corner Community Group, Laurel Street (NE Corner), (SAT) 12:00pm **Ajali**
- Aug 5 Riverfront Plaza, (SAT) 1:30pm **New Release Band**, 3:30pm **Hartford Steel Symphony**
- Aug 7 Monday Night Jazz-Bushnell Park, 6:30pm **Sam Sherry Quartet**, 7:30pm **George Coleman** (RL-Trinity College, Vernon Center)
- Aug 8 Rocky Ridge Park, (TUE) 6:30pm **Eddie Foreman Orchestra** (RL- Polish National Home)
- Aug 9 Trinity College Chapel (WED) **Greg Shearer**
- Aug 9 Trinity College Main Quad (WED) **Sally Slade Warner**
- Aug 9 Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm **River Slim & Zydego Hogs** (RL-Pond House)
- Aug 10 Parkville Senior Center, (THUR) 6:00pm **Fiesta**
- Aug 10 Mark Twain Auditorium, (THUR) 6:00pm **Travadores Mariachi Band**
- Aug 10 Central Baptist Church, (THUR) 7:00pm **True Grass & Tierra Mestiza**

Aug 11 Wadsworth Atheneum, (FRI) 6:30pm **Jazz Alive Quartet**

Aug 12 Bushnell Park Pavillion, (SAT) 11:00am **Fab Five**, 12:30pm **Hartford Steel Symphony**, 2:30pm **Carolyn & Progressive Band**

Aug 15 Goodwin Park, (TUE) 6:30 pm **Patti & The Guys** (RL- Polish National Home)

Aug 16 Trinity College Chapel (WED) 6:00pm **Trium**

Aug 16 Trinity College Main Quad (WED) 7:00pm **Treavor Workman**

Aug 16 Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm **Jimmy & CT Jazz Masters** (RL-Pond House)

Aug 17 Old State House, (THUR) 12:00pm **Dyn-O-Myte Disco Review**

Aug 17 Parkville Senior Center, (THUR) 6:00pm **Johnny Prytko**

Aug 19 Keney Park (Woodland), (RS) (SAT) 2:00pm **Serious Business**, 3:00pm **Charmane**, 4:00pm **Nita Zarif**, 5:00pm **Nick Mathis**, 6:00pm **Tomaca Govan**, 7:00pm **Barbara Fowler**

Aug 19 Wadsworth Atheneum, (SAT) 6:30pm **Jazz Alive Quartet**

Aug 19 Asylum Hill Congregational Church, (SAT) 7:30pm **Musical Friends Leo Snow**

Aug 20 Wadsworth Atheneum, (SUN) 2:00pm **Jazz Alive Quartet**

Aug 20 Keney Park (Woodland), (SUN) 2:00pm **Sonya**, 3:00pm **DJ Fela**, 4:00pm **Rev. Lisa Clayton & Judah**, 5:00pm **One Love**, 6:00pm **Eric Daruis** (RS)

Aug 22 Goodwin Park, (TUE) 6:30pm **John Jeski Band** (RL- Polish National Home)

Aug 23 Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm **Makita Salsa Band** (RL-Pond House)

Aug 24 Old State House, (THUR) 12:00pm **Vinyl Daze**

Aug 24 Parkville Senior Center, (THUR) 6:00pm **Fiesta**

Aug 26 Hartford Food System, 75 Laurel Street, (SAT) 11:00am **Horizan Blue**

Aug 26 Sigourney Park, (SAT) 12:30pm **The Heavenland Band**, 1:30pm **Dave Mack**, 2:30pm **Tomaca Govan**, 4:00pm **People of Goodwill**, 5:15pm **Rich McGee**, 6:30pm **Kenny Hamber** (RS)

Aug 26 Charter Oak Cultural Center, (SAT) 7:00pm **Val Ramos Flamenco Ensemble**

Aug 27 Sigourney Park, (SUN) 12:30pm **Afro Semitic Experience**, 1:30pm **Margaux Hayes**, 2:30pm **Nita Zarif**, 4:00pm **Edwin West**, 5:15pm **Awardges**, 6:30pm **Legacy** (RS)

Aug 30 Rose Garden Lawn, Elizabeth Park (WED) 6:30pm **Steppin' Out** (RL-Pond House)

Aug 31 Southwest Senior Center, (THUR) 2:00pm **-Swing Into Broadway**

Aug 31 Shepherd Park, (THUR) 6:00pm **Swing Into Broadway**

Aug 31 Parkville Senior Center, (THUR) 6:00pm **Rotchford Duo**

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Sept 7 Mark Twain House, (THUR) 6:00pm **Jazz Alive Quartet**

Sept 8 Unitarian Meeting House, (FRI) 7:00pm **Horizon Blue**, 8:15pm **Chris & Meredith Thompson**

Sept 9 Bushnell Park, (SAT) 11:00am-9:00pm **Lift Every Voice & Sing, Spectrum In Motion-Emanuel Transmission-Heartsong Singers For Christ-Tapestry Jazz Ensemble-True To Life-Daunte Dottery-Many Many More** (RD-September 16, 2006)

Sept 9 CT. Pride Rally & Festival-Downtown, (SAT) 1:00pm **On Broadway**

Sept 9 Elizabeth Park Rose Garden, (SAT) 2:00pm **Try Tone Orchestra (RD)** September 10, 2006)

Sept 10 Asylum Hill Congregational Church, (SUN) 11:30am **People Of Goodwill**

Sept 12 Southwest Senior Center-494 New Britain Avenue, (TUE) 1:00pm **Fiesta Del Norte**

Sept 13 Riverfront Recapture, (WED) 11:30am **Jazz Alive Quartet**

Sept 16 Bushnell Park, (SAT) 7:00pm **Dramatix**

Sept 16 Unitarian Meeting House, (SAT) 7:00pm **Tierra Mestiza & Val Ramos**

Sept 16 Artist Collective-1200 Albany Ave.-Hartford, CT-(SAT) 8:00pm **Hubert Powell & XY Eli**

Sept 16 Weaver High School-G.P. Thomas Auditorium-415 Thomas Street, (SAT) 8:00pm **Nicki Mathis & Adela Dalto's Latinas**

Sept 17 ST. Augustine Church-Block Party, (SUN) 12:45pm **Vinyl Daze**

Sept 23 Community Health Services-(Albany Avenue), (SAT) 12:00pm **People Of Goodwill**

Sept 23 **HPL (TBA)**, (SAT) 2:00pm **Jazz Alive Quartet**

Sept 30 African American Parade, Keney Park (Woodland), (SAT) 12:30pm **Amateur Acts**, 1:45pm **Local Band**, 2:30pm **Insight**, 3:45pm **Monteiro Jazz Band**, 5:00pm **Houston Person, (RL)** Fox Middle School-Hartford

Sept 30 Vernon Social Center-Trinity College (SAT) 2:00pm **Tierra Mestiza & Val Ramos**

INFORMATION - Andres Chaparro @ Office of Cultural Affairs 547-1426 xt 7413

ALL Evelyn Preston Funded Concerts are Free & Open to the Public.

Music in the City calendars are available at: The Main Hartford Library, The Director's Gallery (2 Holcomb St.-2nd fl), Youth Art Gallery (2 Holcomb St.-1st Fl.), The Old State House, City Hall, The Office of Cultural Affairs, or by calling: 543-8876, Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm to get a calendar.

Hartford "The Rising Star"

- Please do your part by helping us keep our City Parks clean!
- Please visit the **Director's Art Gallery** – located at HHS 2, Holcomb St 2nd floor. Gallery Hours 9am-4pm M-F
- Please visit **"The Youth Art Gallery"** Gallery located at HHS 2, Holcomb St 1st floor. Gallery Hours 9am-4pm M-F.
- For Gallery invitations for future openings & exhibits please call Office of Cultural Affairs, Andres Chaparro Jr., 547-1426 ext. 7413

Concert days & time subject to change.

BUSKING: STREET PERFORMANCES

Musicians, Jugglers, Story Tellers, Dancers, etc... are encouraged to perform in outdoor public areas. Contact the Office of Cultural Affairs for more information.



SITE LOCATIONS & PHONE NUMBERS



Health & Human Services Main Office 543-8860
Recreation Main Office Number 543-8876
Youth Services Main Office Number 543-8875
2 Holcomb St, Hartford, CT 06112 722-6499 fax

Kelvin D. Anderson	2621 North Main	722-6525	722-8875 pool
Pope Park	Pope Park Highway	722-6480	722-6482 pool
Metzner	680 Franklin Ave	722-6549	
Hyland	35 New Britain Ave	722-6560	
Willie Ware	697 Windsor St	722-6537	
Blue Hills	9 Lebanon St	722-8054	
Goodwin Park Pool	South St	722-6253	
Keney Pool	Woodland St	722-8886	
Pope Pool	Pope Park Hwy	722-6531	
Colt Pool	106 Wethersfield Ave	722-6098	

Keney Park Golf Course	Tower Ave	525-3646
Goodwin Park Golf Course	Maple Ave	956-3601

Any recreation questions, suggestions, compliments or concerns can be directed through the main office number of 543-8876. Our secretary will be happy to direct your call to the appropriate person to help you.

The main office is located at 2 Holcomb St on the 3rd floor. Office hours are Monday – Friday 8:30-4:30pm.

Parks & Recreation Advisory Commission meetings are suspended during the months of July & August. The next meeting will be September 27th at 6pm in City Hall's Council Chambers.

CALL 211 INFO LINE TOO!

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